

ROOM 36 NEWSLETTER

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Week of... October 21st -25th

Important News

Weekly Planner

News

LUNCH bunch book club

Start Reading! Thursday November 7th is the day we will eat lunch in the classroom and discuss our book.

Don't forget to continue to collect box tops!

We will be practicing for a Severe Weather Drill next week. I have explained to children that this is just to practice (like a fire drill) to keep us all safe!

Monday: 10/21 Day 2: Computer
HW: -Frog Folder
-Practice High Frequency & Spelling Words
-Family Times

Tuesday: 10/22 Day 3: Phys. Ed.
Don't forget your **SNEAKERS!**
HW: -Frog Folder
-Practice High Frequency & Spelling Words
-Family Times

Wednesday: 10/23 Day 4: Music
HW: -Frog Folder
-Read w/ Bookmark
-Practice High Frequency & Spelling Words
-Math Homelink 3

Thursday: 10/24 Day 5: Art
HW: -Frog Folder
-Practice High Frequency & Spelling Words
-Math Homelink 3

Friday: 10/25 Day 6: Phys. Ed.
Don't forget your **SNEAKERS!**
-Unit 1 Week 2 Spelling Test
-Frog Folder Due
Enjoy your weekend!!!

High Frequency Words

me
for
where
go
he

Spelling Words

can
cat
back
dad
am
bat
mad
ran
sack
at

**Please see classroom wiki for
ways to practice spelling
words at home! (Link is below)**

Wiki: <http://room36pierce.wikispaces.com/>

Blog: <http://firstgradefrogs36.blogspot.com/>

What are we learning?

Reading Street Unit 1 Week 1



Big Question: How are people and animals Important to one another?

Weekly Focus Question: What do pets need?

Story: *Sam, Come Back!*

Amazing (vocabulary) Words: needs, responsibility, shelter, cuddle, tickle, faithful, fetch, heel

Phonics Skill: short a, -ck

Comprehension Skill: Character & Setting

Please be sure you are reading EVERY night!
Whether you are doing the reading or your child is reading,
READING together is so important in first grade!!

Unit

This week we will be discussing fire safety in preparation for our Fire Safety Assembly on Thursday.



We will also begin a mini unit on nocturnal animals where we will be studying bats and owls.



Writing

Throughout the month of October our focus for writing will be on narrative writing...writing a story with a beginning, middle and end. We will also do a lot with vocabulary and talk about word choice to make our writing more exciting!

Everyday Math



Lesson 2.11: Number Models...more practice with addition and subtraction

Lesson 2.12: Number Models

Lesson 2.13: Number Stories

Unit 2 Assessment: Friday

